# **Delaware Energy Efficiency Advisory Council Meeting**

Public Service Commission, Dover July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – 1pm to 3pm

# **Meeting Minutes**

#### **EEAC Council Members in Attendance**

Robert Underwood – Present Glenn Moore – Present Mark Nielson – Absent

Scott Lynch – Absent (Emily Greene proxy)

MQ Riding – Absent Harris McDowell – Absent Carl Johnson – Absent Sanjay Kapuria – Absent Cassandra Marshall – Present

Mike Messer – Absent (Alan Rogers proxy) Joe Schorah – Absent – Tony DePrima proxy

Charles Kistler – Present

#### **Consultants in Attendance**

Jeff Loiter, Optimal Energy Mark Kravatz, Optimal Energy

#### **Attendees**

Tenish Gregory, Cen Del Foundation Harold Stafford, HELP Initiative

Ed Synoski, DNREC Mark Dworkin, DNREC Patty Murray, DNREC Jaime Sayler, FSCAA Ed Schmidt, MCR Wayne Hudders, DPL

George Coates, Acad. of Early Learning

Evie Coates, Acad. of Early Learning

Chandra Jackson, NCALL Heather Callahan, DNREC Donyale Hall, HELP Initiative Lara Kistler, HELP Initiative

Kerry Hollenbeck, ICF

Angela Bivens, Franklin Energy Erin Goldner, Hope Street DE

Tina Bradbury, Downtown Dover Part.

# **Welcome and Introductions**

Rob Underwood called the meeting to order and presented the agenda.

### Council Business, Planning, and General Discussion

• **Meeting Minutes** – The meeting minutes for the April, 2018 EEAC meeting were tabled pending edits.

### **EM&V** Committee Update

Tony DePrima and Jeff Loiter led a discussion regarding the SEU's EM&V Plan for its Commercial Loan Program.

#### **Low-Income Committee Update**

Ed Synoski and Mark Kravatz from Optimal Energy informed the Council that the Council's previously recommended use for the Low-Income Excelon merger funds was approved at the May 22 Public Service Commission meeting. Delmarva Power is working on a Request for Proposals for a fund manager.

# **DNREC Bi-Annual Snapshots**

Rob Underwood and Jeff Loiter from Optimal Energy presented the Bi-Annual Snapshot for DNREC's various energy efficiency programs. The Bi-Annual snapshots are part of the EM&V process and give a periodic look at how programs are performing compared to projections.

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# **Update on HELP Initiative Activities**

Charles Kistler from the HELP Initiative gave a presentation on the current work of his organization. Highlights included discussion about their "Lights-On" and "Gardens-On" Dover programs as well as plans for expansion to other areas in the State.

## **Potential Study/Future of EE Presentations**

Optimal Energy gave an update about DNREC's planned refresh of the Potential Study and how this will assist with the target setting process.

Optimal also gave an educational presentation about the Future of the Energy Efficiency, Demand Response and the Connected Grid.

#### **Public Comment**

None.

# **Next Steps / Adjournment**

The next meeting will be held on September 12<sup>th</sup> at the Public Service Commission in Dover. To participate by phone, please call 1-877-366-0711 and enter participant code 96520857.

Copies of the meeting materials have been posted on the DNREC website: http://www.dnrec.delaware.gov/energy/information/otherinfo/Pages/EEAC/Council.aspx